

United States District Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Rm. 755 New York, NY 10007

Re:

Hochstadt v. NYC Den't of Education et al.

08 CV 2420 (LTS)(HBP) Our File No. 250804-F152 MEMO ENDORSED

Dear Judge Swain:

I am an Associate Counsel in the Office of James R. Sandner, Esq., attorney for plaintiff, Joy Hochstadt, in the above referenced matter. I write on behalf of both parties to jointly request that the pre-trial conference, currently scheduled for June 20, 2008, be adjourned for three weeks, or a date thereafter at the convenience of the Court.

This request is necessitated by developments in the case since the initial scheduling order dated March 19, 2008. On or about April 10, 2008, defendants received an extension to answer the complaint by May 30, 2008. Thereafter, plaintiff filed an Amended Complaint moving defendants' time to answer to June 6, 2008. In light of the due date of the defendants' answer, the parties require additional time to adequately prepare for the pre-trial conference and to draft and submit the preliminary pre-trial statement.

I thank you for your kind consideration of my request. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the request, I may be contacted at (212) 533-6300.

Very truly yours.

JAMES R. SANDNER

By:

Wendy M. Star

Associate Counsel

SO ORDERED.

WMS/dt

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

